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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Takashi MIKI, Hideki USHIO and Isao KURIMOTO  
PRODUCTION OF MIXED ACID ANHYDRIDE AND AMIDE COMPOUND  
**Assignee: SUMITOMO CHEMICAL CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q64808

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 55 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

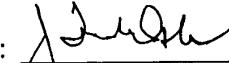
The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	30	-	20	=	10	x	\$18.00	=	\$180.00
Independent claims	2	-	3	=		x	\$80.00	=	
Base Fee									\$710.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee									\$270.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b>\$1160.00</b>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1160.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from June 2, 2000 based on Japanese Application No. 2000-165748. The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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